



## Ruth Aliene Pennington

November 27, 1925 - February 18, 2009

PENNINGTON---Aliene, 83, passed away on Wednesday, February 18, 2009 in Albuquerque, NM. She was born on November 27, 1925 in Carlsbad, NM to David and Ruth Matkins. After graduating from Carlsbad High School, Aliene worked as a guide in the Carlsbad Caverns. She met and married her husband, Lynn Pennington, in Carlsbad where he was stationed at Carlsbad air base during WWII. Lynn and Aliene made their home and raised their two children in Carlsbad. They moved to Carmel, Indiana in 1969 when Lynn was transferred with the AMAX Corporation. Aliene and Lynn were married for 58 years before his death in 2003. Aliene enjoyed her children and grandchildren, gardening and playing golf. Aliene is preceded in death by her parents, her husband and her sister, Leona Boren. She is survived by one son Ron and wife Michele Pennington of Costa Mesa, Ca; one daughter, Ann and husband Tom Bell of Albuquerque, NM; one brother, David Matkins of Hobbs, NM; 6 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. A memorial service will be held on Saturday February 21, 2009 at 11:30 A.M. First Presbyterian Church , 215 Locust NE, Albuquerque, NM. The family will receive friends Tuesday, February 24, 2009 11:00 AM until 1:30 PM at the Holihan-Atkin Funeral Home, Grand Ledge with a graveside service to follow at North Eagle Cemetery, Eagle Township, Michigan at 2:00 P.M. Aliene's family wish to offer a special thanks to all the staff at The Cottages and Hospice de la Luz.

# Tribute Wall



“ Dear Ann, Tom, Ron, and Michele, Our deepest sympathy upon hearing the news of Aliene's passing. We loved your parents and both Lynn and Aliene are sorely missed. When we have neighborhood gatherings, both of them are remembered so fondly. Our children loved them, too, as your Mom and Dad always showed such an interest in their activities. Our thoughts and prayers reach out to you. Lovingly, Jenny and Phil Cottrell##imported-begin##Jenny and Phil Cottrell##imported-end##

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“ Ann, Tom, Ron & Michelle, Tom and I were very sorry to hear of Aliene's passing. It was our pleasure to have known both your parents. They were great friends in the &quot;hood&quot;. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Tom and Becky Beckman##imported-end##

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